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MANAGING SUPPLY CHAIN)
NETWORKS)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the present invention, applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 2, paragraph 1, line 2,

please delete "06/254125" and insert --60/254,125--

Respectfully submitted,

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